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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I support independent ISPs, more choices, and opposing the petition of the giant telephone companies. The giant companies want to change the rules regarding unbundled network elements (telephone lines). These rule changes could result in price increases, or completely block access to telephone lines for independent ISPs.

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